

still abundant along the borders of the deep swamps east of Maranocook.

Mr. Davenport's paper and this give some idea how rich the region is in ferns. I might mention further, that *Isoëtes* is common about the shores; and in a brook running into the arm of the lake east of the Maranocook station *Marsilia quadrifolia* can be found. I have an idea that the latter is a newcomer, as I never saw it in this place until 1896, and it has become more abundant each year since. I wish that members of the New England Botanical Club might be induced to botanize further about Lake Maranocook.

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HABENARIA HOOKERIANA OBLONGIFOLIA IN WEST CAMPTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE. — *Habenaria Hookeriana oblongifolia* ascribed to New York and Canada by Gray's Manual (edition of 1889), has been found in considerable numbers in a patch of woods near the West Campton schoolhouse. Leaves measured about two and one-half inches by five and one-half. Only one specimen was found in flower. — PHILLIPS BARRY.

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LYCOPODIUM CLAVATUM, VAR. MONOSTACHYON IN NORTHERN MAINE. — The typical form of *Lycopodium clavatum*, L., has two or more spikes upon each peduncle. The number varies somewhat without changing the habit of the plant. The case, however, in which the two spikes are regularly replaced by a single one gives rise to a rather striking form or variety, which is the better marked from the fact that the single spikes are of greater size than those which compose the pairs in the typical form. The single-spiked variety was briefly characterized by Hooker (Fl. Bor.-Am. ii. 267) from the Rocky Mountains of British America, as var. *monostachyon*, but has been little known and usually omitted from general treatments of the American Pteridophytes. However, Prof. J. M. Macoun in his Catalogue of Canadian Plants, v. 290, records the variety from Little Tobique Lake, New Brunswick (*G. U. Hay*), Prince Edward's Island (*J. Macoun*), and Blood-vein River, Lake Winnipeg (*J. M. Macoun*). The first station for the variety in the United States was reported by Mr. M. L. Fernald last June (RHODORA, iii. 169) on the basis of the